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SUBJ: GKR DELEGATION TO VISIT ZAIRE AT INVITATION GOZ

REF: KINSHASA 5451

- 1. AT MEETING JUNE 24 GKR FOREIGN MINISTER KEUKY LIM TOLD ME GOZ HAS ACCEPTED TO RECEIVE GKR DELEGATION IN KINSHASA. LIM WILL PROBABLY HEAD DELEGATION.
- 2. I GAVE HIM NAMES OF AMERICAN AND FRENCH AMBASSADORS AND DCMS IN KINSHASA, ALL PERSONAL FRIENDS, AND SUGGESTED HE CONTACT THEM AFTER ARRIVAL KINSHASA FOR ADVICE ON DEALING WITH GOZ. I ALSO SUGGESTED THAT HE TAKE LINE WITH GOZ THAT COUNTRIES SUCH AS ZAIRE WHICH HAVE SUFFERED THEIR OWN INSURGENCIES AND REBELLIONS SHOULD THINK TWICE BEFORE CONFIDENTIAL

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VOTING TO SEAT THE "GOVERNMENT" OF AN INSURGENCY IN THE

PLACE OF AN ESTABLISHED, SOVEREIGN GOVERNMENT WHICH IS DEFENDING ITSELF AGAINST THAT INSURGENCY. IH MIGHT ASK WHAT WOULD HAVE HAPPENED TO THE CONGO IF TSHOMBE'S REGIME IN KATANGA HAD BEEN SEATED IN THE UN.

3. COMMENT: IN VIEW GOZ DECISION (REFTEL) TO SUPPORT SEATING OF GRUNK AT LOS CONFERENCE, GOZ INVITATION TO GKR DELEGATION WOULD APPEAR TO BE PRIMARILY COSMETIC ACT DESIGNED TO GIVE APPEARANCE OF NEUTRALITY ON CAMBODIAN QUESTION, WHILE GOZ HAS IN FACT CHOSEN SIDES. PERHAPS KEUKY LIM'S VISIT COULD RESULT IN MOVING THE GOZ TO A MIDDLE POSITION OF ABSTENTION IN THE VOTE AT THE UNGA.

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